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COUNTRY: Belgium

SUBJECT: International Machinery Corporation/Antiaircraft Fire Control
Construction

PLACE ACQUIRED: [REDACTED] 25X1A6a

Date: [REDACTED]

DATE OF INFO: Apr 53

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2. This factory has approximately 150,000 square feet. It is well equipped with machine tools for all ordinary operations. The machines are of good quality and are principally of German and Swiss manufacture, although there is some US equipment. There are approximately 250 employees.

3. This firm specializes in the manufacture of special equipment for the canning and packing industries. This consists of pressure cookers, filling machines, can sealers, and labeling machines. It is going to start on the manufacture of high pressure pumps.

4. In the early part of 1953, this firm received a contract from the Belgian government to build some elaborate equipment for the automatic aiming and firing of antiaircraft batteries. This is a very large project for this plant to undertake, especially since it includes some electronic equipment. No further details in regard to the contract were available to me, since I was an alien.

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